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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: J. Wu
JEANNE GUILLOU ET AL.)	
	:	Art Unit: 2624
Application No.: 10/798,308)	
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Filed: March 12, 2004)	
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR)	
DEFINING QUALITY MODES	:	
FOR A DIGITAL IMAGE SIGNAL)		May 25, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. No copies of the listed documents are enclosed.

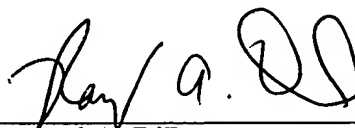
It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

To the best of Applicants' knowledge, an Office Action on the merits has not yet been mailed.

While no fee is believed to be due, please charge any fee that may be due to our Deposit Account 06-1205.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

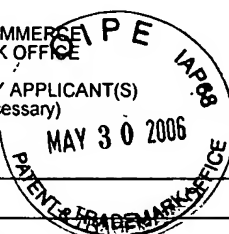
Respectfully submitted,

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